

We are always in need of donations. If you would like to donate non-perishable food, pampers, school supplies or personal hygiene products, please contact Betsy Cundall, Supervisor at (714) 903-1331.

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CITY OF WESTMINSTER

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"Building on Family Strengths"

A community collaborative: Abrazar Inc., Boys & Girls Club of Westminster, City of Westminster, Interval House and Western Youth Services.









ABRAZAR, INC. (TO EMBRACE)

The City of Westminster houses the physical location of the Westminster Family Resource Center. The center is located at 8102 Westminster Blvd, Ste. E, Westminster, CA 92683; at the corner of Westminster Blvd. and Jackson St., one block East of Beach Blvd.

The Westminster Family Resource Center (WFRC) Collaborative, formed in 2000, serves all families residing in the City of Westminster and surrounding communities. This includes intact families with children birth through 18, single parents, blended families, foster and adoptive families, relative caregivers and anyone who is in need. The Westminster Family Resource Center has become the centralized information and referral point for the community. Families can easily access services outside those offered by our Partners and with the assistance of the staff make necessary linkages with other community based agencies.

All services provided are offered in three languages (English, Spanish and Vietnamese), are at no cost and have no eligibility requirements.

Contact Persons: Betsy Cundall, Supervisor-Email: BetsyC@ci.westminster.ca.us or Delma Salmeron, Special Services Clerk-Email: Dsalmeron@ci.westminster.ca.us

The services offered through the Westminster Family Resource Center Collaborative are:

Abrazar Inc.: Emergency Food Program After School Tutoring Program English as a Second Language (ESL) Classes English as a Second Language (ESL) Classes

City of Westminster:

Case Management Information & Referral Adoption Promotion & Support Services Parenting Classes Emergency Assistance Program

Recreational Program Scholarships

Interval House:

Personal Empowerment Program Domestic Violence Counseling

Western Youth Services:

Comprehensive Case Management and Linkage Individual and Family Counseling

For more information please contact us at (714) 903-1331 Hours of Operation: Monday — Friday, 8:00 a.m. - 5:00 p.m

Westminster Family Resource Center Community Partners

Assistance League of Huntington Beach/Project School Bell

8071 Slater Ave., Ste 145, Huntington Beach, CA 92647 (714) 596-0187

Casa Youth Shelter

10911 Reagan St., Los Alamitos, CA 90720 (562) 594-6825 (714) 995-8601

Children's Home Society

525 N. Cabrillo Park Dr., Ste 300, Santa Ana, CA 92701 (714) 543-2273

Community Care Clinic

8041 Newman Ave., Huntington Beach, CA 92647 (714) 847-4222

Healthy Start

14325 Golden West, Westminster, CA 92683 (714) 893-1381

Legal Aid Society of Orange County

902 N. Main St., Santa Ana, CA 92701 (714) 571-5200

Misty's Closet

14120 Beach Blvd., Ste. 210, Westminster, CA 92683 (714) 898-8756

Olive Crest Treatment Center

2130 E. 4th St., Ste 200, Santa Ana, CA 92705 (714) 543-5437

O.C. Housing Authority

1770 N. Broadway, Santa Ana, CA 92706 (714) 480-2700

O.C. Social Services Agency/Contracts

888 N. Main St., Santa Ana, CA 92701 (714) 541-741

Project SHIELD

8200 Westminster Blvd., Westminster, CA 92683 (714) 898-3315

Shelter for the Homeless

15161 Jackson St, Midway City, CA 92655 (714) 897-3221

St. Anselm's

13091 Galway St., Garden Grove, CA 92840 (714) 537-0608

Volunteer Exchange

14120 Beach Blvd. Westminster, CA 92683 (714) 899-6849

Westminster School District

14121 Cedarwood Ave.., Westminster, CA 92683 (714) 894-7311

Women's Law Center

950 W. 17th St., Ste D, Santa Ana, CA 92706 (714) 667-1038

AUGUST 2006

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
		1 C.A.C.	2 SHIELD	3 С.М.Т.	4	5
6	7	8	9	10 C.M.T.	11	12
13	14	-	16 SHIELD	17 C.M.T.	18	19
20	21	22	23	24 C.M.T. P.M.	25	26
27	28	29	30	31 C.M.T.		

Calendar Key of Events:

C.A.C.-Meets 1st & 3rd Tuesday of every month @ WFRC. *The Community Action Council is a committee for parents and community leaders interested in being part of community events hosted by the Westminster Family Resource Center.

SHIELD-Meets every 1st & 3rd Wednesday of the month @ Community Services and Recreation Department Conference Room A/D

C.M.T.-Comprehensive Case Management Team Meeting, meets every Thursday, 8:30am @ Community Services and Recreation Department Conference Room A/B.

P.M.-WFRC Partner Meeting held every fourth Thursday of the month. 9:30 am @ Community

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AUGUST 4-8, 2006 ANNUAL BACK 2 SCHOOL BACK-PACK'S EVENT

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SEPTEMBER 2006

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
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3	4	5 C.A.C.	6 SHIELD	7 C.M.T.	8	9
10	11	12	13	14 C.M.T.	15	16
17	18	19 C.A.C.	20 SHIELD	21 C.M.T.	22	23
24	25	26	27	28 C.M.T. P.M.	29	30

SAVETHEDATE



Back 2 School Backpack's—September 4-8, 2006 @ WFRC

Thanksgiving Food Basket Sign-Up- November @ WFRC (date to be scheduled)





Christmas Food Basket Sign-Up— December @WFRC (date to be scheduled) Volume 1, Issue 1 Page 3

ABRAZAR, Inc. (To Embrace)

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Mission Statement

The Specific and primary purpose of the Corporation is promote the general welfare and prosperity of the very poor to medium income population of Orange County. **Programs** and services the Corporation will foster and operate will be those that can advance the living conditions of senior citizens, the family unit and its members.

Community Programs

- Affordable Housing
- Dental Clinic
- Computer Literacy Classes
- Financial Literacy Classes
- Homework Club
- Summer Youth Program *Offered through the WFRC:
- English as a Second Language (ESL)
- Emergency Food Assistance
- After School Tutoring Food Programs
- USDA

Eligibility: 18+, low income, Cities of Wmstr, Seal Bch, FValley, Midway City

Day: 2nd Tue/Wed of every month Time: 10am to 4pm

CSFP

Eligibility: 60+, low income, Or-

ange Cnty Residents

Day: 3rd Wed of every month

• Brown Bag

Eligibility: 60+, low income, Or-

ange Cnty Residents

Day: 1st & 3rd Thurs of every

Month

Time: 10am to 3pm

• FEMA

Eligibility: Families with proof of

children, low income

Day: Friday, every 4 months

Time: 9am to 12pm

Senior Citizen Programs

- Non-emergency Medical Transportation
- Senior Mobility Program
- Document Preparation & Case Management
- Activities
- Health Fairs
- Nutrition
- UCLA Mobile Eye Clinic
- Support Groups

AUGUST 2006

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
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27	28	29	30	31		

Schedule of Events

FREE LUNCH -

July 10-August 17, 2006 (M - Th); 12::00pm - 2:00pm All children under 18 years old can come and have free lunch in the park.

Located at:

Midway City Community Center (MCCC) 14900 Park Lane, Midway City, CA 92655

Summer Youth Program (SYP) -

August 1-17, 2006; 9:00am - 1:00pm

The program includes an hour of math, reading and arts & crafts. Free lunch will be provided.

Registration Requirements:

- 1. Enrollment Form
- 2. Copy of Report Card
- 3. Parent Enrollment in the free training "The 10 Education Commandments for Parents"

Located at:

Midway City Community Center (MCCC) 14900 Park Lane, Midway City, CA 92655

Boys & Girls Club of Westminster

Mission Statement

To provide a safe place where community youth of all cultural backgrounds can engage in activities that foster and enhance emotional, social, intellectual and physical growth.

Core Programs

At the Boys & Girls Club of Westminster, we provide diverse activities that meet the interests of all youth. Core programs engage young people in activities with adults, peers, and family members that enable them to develop self- esteem and to reach their full potential. Based on physical, emotional, cultural and social needs and interests of girls and boys, while recognizing developmental principles, we offer programs in five areas:

- Character and leadership Development
 - Education and Career Development
 - Health and Life Skills
 - The Arts
 - Sports, Fitness and Recreation

"A Sense of Competence, A Sense of Usefulness, A Sense of Belonging, A Sense of Power or Influence"



Summer VaCaTiOn 2006

All Star Summer		All Star Summer THURSDAY TRIPS			
<u>Place</u>	<u>Fee</u>	<u>Date</u>	<u>Place</u>	<u>Fee</u>	
HB Library & Park	Free	August 3	Discovery Science Cente	r \$12.00	
Carbillo Aquarium	\$5.00	August 10	Aquarium of the Pacific	\$5.00	
Beach	\$5.00	August 17	Getty Center	\$5.00	
Westminster Pool	\$3.00	August 24	Nickel, Nickel		
		\$10.0	0		
:	<u>IPS</u> <u>Place</u> HB Library & Park Carbillo Aquarium Beach	IPS Place Fee HB Library & Park Free Carbillo Aquarium \$5.00 Beach \$5.00	Place HB Library & Park Carbillo Aquarium Beach Fee \$5.00 \$5.00 \$4.00 August 10 \$5.00 \$4.00 August 17 \$4.00 August 24	THURSDAY TRIPS Place HB Library & Park Carbillo Aquarium Beach Fee THURSDAY TRIPS Date Place August 3 Discovery Science Cente August 10 Aquarium of the Pacific August 17 Getty Center	

LET'S JUMP INTO SUMMER

dy Theme		Friday Special Event		
To infinity & Beyond	08/04/06	Science Adventure		
Around the World	08/11/06	Pot Luck		
Amazing Master Pieces	08/18/06	Art Fair		
Clowning Around	08/25/06	End of the Summer Party		
	To infinity & Beyond Around the World Amazing Master Pieces	To infinity & Beyond 08/04/06 Around the World 08/11/06 Amazing Master Pieces 08/18/06		

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Western Youth Services

"Where Good Work Changes Lives, Enhances Community and Improves Society"

About Us:

Western Youth Services (WYS) is a private, non– profit human service agency with 30 years of service to the communities of Orange County. WYS provides comprehensive mental health services to children, adolescents and families at strategically located clinics throughout the county.

Our Values:

- Honoring all individuals: treating people with dignity-clients and employees-maximizing human potential and respecting cultural nuances
- In all endeavors, promoting personal and professional integrity and conducting all business in an ethical manner
- Promoting professional development and expecting a standard of excellence from all of our staff
- Maintaining efficiency without compromising quality

We Provide:

- ♦ Individual, Family & Group Therapy (through WFRC)
- ◆ Psychological Testing
- ◆ Crisis Intervention to children in out-of-home placement
- School Based Services to Students and School Personnel
- ◆ Parent Education
- ◆ Training Resources for students and interns in the mental health professions

- ◆ Case Management and Linkage
- ◆ Program Management
- ◆ Psychiatric Services
- ♦ Prevention Services

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Hotlines: 562-594-4555 and 714-891-8121 Information: 562-594-9492

P.E.P (Personal Empowerment Program)

The P.E.P program has been designed for victims of domestic violence, in an effort to provide support and education to end the cycle of abuse.

Women who participate in the P.E.P program are either court mandated or voluntarily wishing to join because of their experience with domestic violence, this includes physical, emotional or sexual abuse.

Each session is two hours in length for a total of ten weeks. The group meets weekly

English P.E.P Group Meetings:

Saturdays, 10am to 12pm Midway City Community Center (MCCC) 14900 Park Lane Midway City, CA 92655

The following are topics for each session

- Week 1: What is domestic violence?
- Week 2: Effects of domestic violence on participants
- Week 3: Boundaries and anger management
- Week 4: Effects of domestic violence on children
- Week 5: Legal aspects of domestic violence
- Week 6: Working through denial: Facing the danger
- Week 7: Red flags and lethality
- Week 8: The Healthy Relationship
- Week 9: The role of alcohol, drugs and codependency in domestic violence
- Week 10: Where do I go from here?

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Other FRC locations:

Salk Family Resource Center 1411 South Gilbert Street Anaheim, CA 92804 (714) 826-5746

Anaheim/Fullerton FRC 1260 N. Rivera Street Anaheim CA 92801 (714) 765-3776

Magnolia Park Family Resource Center

11402 Magnolia Ave Garden Grove, CA 92841 (714) 530-7413

Oak View Family & Community Ctr. 17261 Oak Lane Huntington Beach, CA 92647 (714) 842-4184

Friendly Center 147 W. Rose Orange, CA 92867 (714) 771-5300

South Orange County FRC 28191 Marguerite Parkway. Ave. Mission Viejo, CA 92691 (949) 364-0500

Corbin Family Resource Center 2215 W. McFadden Ave. Santa Ana, CA 92704 (714) 647-6557

Minnie Street Family Resource Center

1300 E. McFadden Ave. Santa Ana, CA 92705 (714) 972-5706

Stanton FRC 11822 Santa Paula St. Stanton, CA 90680 (714) 379-0129

Tustin Family Resource Center 14722 Newport Ave. Tustin CA, 92780 TBD

La Habra FRC 501 S. Idaho Steet La Habra, *CA* 90631 (562) 690-4001 x3

FaCT Family Resource Centers

FaCT's Vision

Is that all Children grow up in stable, nurturing families and safe, supportive communities which promote healthy development and provide opportunities for children, youth and adults to achieve their full potential as caring, responsible, and productive members of society.

FaCT Mission

Is to identify and promote promising and best practices, train, fund and advocate for family resource centers (FRC's) to be Orange County's community-based platform for prevention activities and family support services.

Fact Family Resouce Centers (FRC's) are family Friendly, community-based sites that provide access to comprehensive integrated prevention and treatment oriented social, educational, and health services foa all families including birth, blended, kinship, adoptive and foster families. FRC's often serve as vehicles for engaging local residents and community organizations in the identification and resolution of community concerns as they relate to raising healthy children. Every FRC is unique to its community and services are offered by multicultural and multilingual staff that reflect the surrounding neighborhoods and the families it serves.

FaCT FRC's are funded and operated collaboratively by public and private agencies, community residents, and other key stakeholders to provide a seamless system of care for families and children.

Core FRC Services

- Case Management
- Parent Education
- Resource & Referral
- Counseling
- Advocacy
- Domestic Violence Treatment

Comprehensive FRC Services

- Child Development Activities
- Child Abuse/Neglect Treatment
- Family Health & Wellness
- Family Economics & Self-Sufficiency
- Family Literacy & Education Support
- Youth Development
- Community Development Activities



To Learn more about FaCT visit our web site: www.factoc.org

FaCT Contact Information: FaCT Office: 800 N. Eckhoff St. P.O. Box 6838 • Orange, California 92868-6838 • Phone: (714) 704-8777 Fax: (714) 704-8220

Families and Communities Together (FaCT) is a partnership between the County of Orange Social Services Agency and Orangewood Children's Foundation. FaCT receives federal, state, and county funds including Promoting Safe and Stable Families, California Department of Social Services/Office of Child Abuse Prevention, Governor's Office of Emergency Services, and the Children and Families Commission of Orange County.